



ROLL IN, EAT UP!

Exploring the mobile feeding model for summer meals in Florida





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Innovation in Florida

This guide was compiled by the Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services in the fall of 2015 through interviews with Florida's Summer BreakSpot sponsors that are employing innovative, creative and successful methods of providing summer meals through nontraditional models. While this guide will mainly focus on best practices in mobile feeding, it should also spark conversations and transform the Summer BreakSpot program to close the meal gap in Florida.

One of the biggest barriers of summer feeding in Florida is lack of transportation to traditional sites.

Taking into account that 21 of Florida's 67 counties (31 percent of the state) are designated rural by USDA and over 61,000 at-risk children live in these counties, traditional summer feeding sites can be hard to access for a large

Getting Started

Going from a traditional summer feeding model to mobile requires some planning. This guidebook was

created to provide a snapshot of how Florida sponsors interpret and implement the mobile feeding model. Mobile feeding is NOT a "one size fits all" approach, which is illustrated in this publication.

Share Our Strength's Mobile Meals Playbook (https://bestpractices. nokidhungry.org/summer-meals/mobile-meals-playbook) offers best practices for determining if mobile is right for your sponsorship.

population of families. Mobile feeding is a way to overcome the transportation issue and feed children in hardto-reach places. In this guidebook, you'll read stories from sponsors in both rural and urban locations that are utilizing the mobile feeding method to provide meals to children in need in their communities.

Defining Mobile

In conducting interviews, FDACS found that mobile feeding can be a broad term. For the purposes of this guidebook, consider mobile feeding as bringing meals to children who are not located at traditional sites. While some mobile locations may be brick-and-mortar structures, there is not a kitchen or food service area already designated. In other words, there would probably not be summer feeding without the mobile unit.



The mobile feeding vehicle could be used in other programs to increase food access in the community.

Manatee County School
District, for example, also used their mobile feeding unit to provide meals during Spring Break through the Afterschool Meals Program. It can also be used during emergencies, such as during a hurricane or major power outage, to feed people in need.

Wheels and Wallets

The need to acquire funding greatly depends on the type of mobile feeding program that will be implemented and the resources that are already available. Sometimes, securing additional funding is needed.

- Check into grant funding or approach community organizations in the area, including civic organizations, for monetary or in-kind support.
- School districts can work with the transportation office to see if they have a vehicle they would donate, such as a bus or a van that is being replaced for the upcoming school year.

Mobile feeding takes on various forms. In Florida, the colorful list of vehicle types includes vans, refrigerated trucks, buses, food trucks, trailers and even station wagons. There are a number of things to consider when choosing a vehicle.

Mobile Makeovers

to renovate or not to renovate?

Some sponsors simply use their mobile vehicle as is. For example, a yellow school bus could be used for food transportation and double as a meeting point. Service can be provided from a cooler with tables and chairs set up outside of the bus and a banner hung across the side. Sponsors can renovate a bus to serve hot food or have areas for children to dine inside. How do you determine what you need to do? You should think about your menu, your site locations and your capabilities.

REALLY AWESOME RENOVATION

Orange County School Board had their meal service bus outfitted with serving line equipment for hot and cold foods and a milk cooler. Children enter through stairs located near the back of the bus, receive their meals through the serving line and then exit at the front of the bus.

KEEPING IT SIMPLE

"For the first two years, we just hung a banner from the regular school bus, and it worked for us. Obviously we wanted to go to the next step... but just beginning and trying it out, it was really successful for us. Kids knew that once the bus pulled up and put a sign up, it was time to eat."

-Hillsborough County School Board



Hernando County School Board explained that renovations do not have to be expensive. "The school bus, seats and counters were donated. Our maintenance department completed all of the renovations inside the bus. The only cost was the wrap on the outside of the bus," said Karen Mazza.



Sponsor spotlight

During Manatee County School District's first year doing mobile feeding, they received a bus that their school district had already begun renovating to be used as a computer lab. "They just had to move some things around then we wrapped it to make it flashy. It was a simple retrofit for us," said Skye Grundy, Nutrition Coordinator.

However, their second bus required more work and money. They took it to a local RV repair shop for the renovations. Grundy pointed out that a generator can be the most expensive purchase, depending on your needs. Manatee provided air conditioning even when the bus was off and served hot meals so they needed a large generator. A cage was welded under the bus to hold the generator to allow for ventilation. Manatee's retrofit also included an awning to allow children to dine in the shade if they aren't eating on the bus.

Expenses to Consider

ASIDE FROM THE VEHICLE,
WHAT ARE OTHER COSTS THAT
COULD BE ASSOCIATED WITH
MOBILE FEEDING?

Bus driver Hot boxes
Oil changes Air conditioning
Repairs Pop-up tents
Benches Generator
Tables Awning
Coolers Gas

example budget in appendix



STEPPING OUT OF THE BOX

If you don't have a transportation department that can assist with renovations, check with an RV shop.

-Manatee County School District

Rent refrigerated trucks to expand reach without renovating a vehicle. -Hillsborough County School Board

Include an awning for shade in your retrofit so you don't have to buy pop up tents.

-Manatee County School District

Provide space for company logos on mobile feeding vehicles in exchange for start-up funding and resources. For example, Super Lube's logo was included in exchange for quarterly maintenance for the "Food on the Move" bus.

-America's Second Harvest of the Big Bend



Buses are not a must!

Hillsborough County School Board only had two buses in 2015 but was able to serve 21 mobile sites by renting refrigerated trucks. They hired a driver and sent a student nutrition employee on the truck routes to deliver the meals and complete the accountability report. Many of the sites that received meals by the trucks were libraries that already had program staff to help monitor the children and provide activities.





Site Locations

and your vehicle

The desired mobile site locations may actually determine the vehicle needed, or vice versa. For

example, a site in a large, safe area could utilize a van that brings tables, tents, chairs and coolers. However, a small or crowded site space may need a bus with sitting room.

The menu is another thing to consider when choosing site locations. A hot meal may require electricity and a generator. Cold meals can be served using coolers that do not necessarily require a special vehicle or renovations.

Choosing Sites

sponsors know best

Talk to bus drivers. They interact with children daily during the school year and know where they live.

-Gilchrist County School Board

Check out large apartment complexes in low-income areas and partner with your city's housing authority.

-Second Harvest Food Bank of Central Florida

Work with Title I on their efforts during the summer and go where they go. -Polk County School Board

Ask your city's transportation office where the highest bus stop rates are. -America's Second Harvest of the Big Bend

Check community statistics to see where sites are needed. -Miami-Dade County Public Schools

Drive through mobile home parks and look for bikes and toys to see if there are a lot of children present.

-Hillsborough County School Board

Get together with community partners, like the United Way, Meals on Wheels, parks and recreation offices and housing authorities. Ask them for suggestions. -Manatee County School District



Summer Meals Here

Polk County School Board partnered with the Title I "Books Bridge Bus" for its feeding sites.

Have you Heard?

FDACS has created an interactive online map that helps sponsors identify the need in their area.

Head to
FreshFromFlorida.com/RoadmaptoHealth
to access the free tool.





One of Pasco County School Board's retrofitted buses at Dade Oaks Apartments in Dade City. Image provided courtesy of The Tampa Tribune



Kids enjoyed a nutritious meal from a Polk County School Board mobile van at the Community Center in Dundee.



Sisters for Abundant Living, Inc. provided site activities after lunch at a Miami housing authority. Image provided courtesy of Florida Impact

BRIGHT IDEA!

Work with the Police Athletic League (sometimes called PAL) to include enrichment activities at mobile sites. Miami-Dade County Public Schools had police force members come to some sites daily. "They [police] liked doing it to have good involvement in the community and be positive. We did not have to pay anything for that," said Olga Botero.

Where Are They

some Florida mobile site locations:

- Apartment complexes
- Mobile home parks
- Libraries
- Schools closed for the summer
- Housing authorities
- Locations with tutoring or literacy programs
- City bus stop areas
- Migrant sites
- Community centers, parks and water parks

Menu and Food

Many sponsors opt for a cold menu for mobile feeding for ease. Hot feeding requires extra equipment, preparation and coordination. But, as some mobile sponsors can attest, serving hot food is not impossible.

Manatee County School
District tried to use the same
menu with mobile feeding as
their traditional sites, which
included hot food. However,
they found that their hot
food needed to be wrapped
or packaged to be efficient
on their buses; they handed
children a cold bag and
milk and a hot wrapped or
packaged entrée.

Second Harvest Food Bank of Central Florida gives good tips for transport and service. "We used bread racks to prevent meals from getting squished and being damaged in transport. We also found that it's easy to use a three-compartment container, hand it out with a milk and you're done," said Nancy Brumbaugh, the food bank's Food Service Director.

"We do cold food at all of our sites. It makes the delivery process seamless to have everyone the same," stated Olga Botero with Miami-Dade County Public Schools.



Find examples of sponsor menus in the appendix.

Sponsor Spotlight

It can be quite the task for a sponsor to do both brick-and-mortar sites and mobile feeding at once. Second Harvest Food Bank of Central Florida was producing meals at their central kitchen for both their brick-and-mortar sites and their mobile unit's sites. They had trucks that delivered meals to traditional sites and a pull-behind trailer as their mobile feeding unit. They created color-coded routes for drivers that included the stops for brick-and-mortar meals and mobile feeding meals so each driver was prepared daily. They also combined their meal delivery and meal count sheets that came to serve as both proof of delivery with temperature and time and as a meal counting sheet.

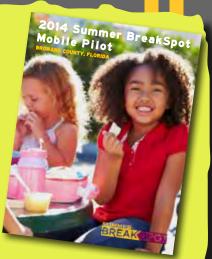
Pictured to the right is the food bank's central kitchen. In 2015, over 9,000 of the 131,250 meals prepared here for the Summer BreakSpot program were for mobile sites. The food bank prides itself in getting fresh, quality meals to children in the central Florida area during the summer.





sponsor spotlight

Broward Meals on Wheels, in partnership with other community organizations,



created a book on their experience implementing and operating mobile feeding for summer meals for the first time. This book contains detailed checklists, summaries and a great collection of site activities that other sponsors can pull from. Visit flimpact.org/downloads/docs/2014-SummerBreakSpotMobilePilot.pdf to download the guide.

Having staff that are bilingual can be very useful when working with children and parents.
Hillsborough County School Board stated that they have many children in the area that don't speak English so to have someone that can communicate with them is "really good!"

Site Activities

Developing or finding programming for mobile sites can be challenging. A few mobile sponsors offered unique ideas for activities.

America's Second Harvest of the Big Bend created "bus bucks," which was an



incentive to get children to return to their mobile feeding bus because they could turn in their "bucks" at the end of the week for a book or toy. Shannon Piotrowski, Director of Programs and Agency Relations, says her team checked the food bank's reclamation center daily for any donations and were able to hand out many new toys and books each week.

Polk County School Board

partnered with a mobile library program called the Books Bridge, which is also run by the school district.



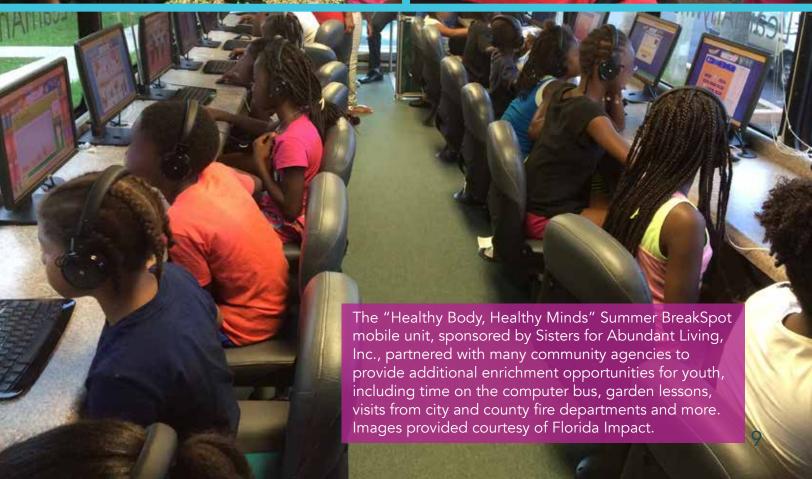
The district's mobile lunch van followed the mobile library bus to feed kids and have literacy activities daily. "We attracted kids for them and they attracted kids for us so it was a great partnership."

Hillsborough County School Board chose some mobile feeding sites that already had activities going on, like libraries and vacation bible schools. "We used our own staff for



accountability purposes and worked with the site's staff to make sure they understood that the kids can't take food home and things like that. They monitored and watched the kids eat and then moved on with their programming."





Getting Noticed

promoting the mobile unit in your community

launch party

Hosting a kickoff event can do wonders for raising awareness about a mobile feeding vehicle that is about to hit the streets in the community. America's Second Harvest of the Big Bend

scheduled a ribbon cutting event and invited the community. The event received media coverage and included speeches from local representatives, a food truck and music.

Family Night

Statewide partner Florida Impact worked with community groups and school districts to hold Parent Night events aimed at educating families about local Summer BreakSpot sites. Mobile units were parked outside while students and parents shared a typical summer meal, enjoyed enrichment activities and learned about the program.

Keep It Simple

"Have a sign with mobile feeding locations on your mobile unit or hand out your route at your stops. The families visiting your mobile unit are likely to tell other families and community members about your program."

-Manatee County School District

Partner Up

"Try to partner with agencies that already have events or activities going on so that you can piggyback off of their program attendance."

-Orange County School Board

It's a Wrap

It's definitely not necessary, but wrapping a mobile feeding unit certainly has its perks.

- Moving advertisement
- Families and children know it's safe
- Recognizable from a distance



Moving Meals

and closing the nutrition gap

Lack of transportation has risen to the top of the list of barriers on how to reach the underserved children and close the meal gap. The mobile feeding model has proven to be a successful way of expanding summer feeding to areas of need in Florida that otherwise might not have been served by traditional brickand-mortar locations.

Transportation issues could affect the child in an apartment complex that has been instructed not to leave or the children of families that live in a remote mobile home park at the end of a dirt road in a rural community. The sponsors of the Summer BreakSpot have tapped into a model that is, and continues to assist in, closing the meal gap in Florida during the summer months.

Since the summer of 2013, mobile feeding in Florida has seen a growth from approximately 50 locations to more than 135 in the summer of 2015. Mobile feeding is still a requested topic of discussion during trainings and webinars because it has been proven to work. The children of Florida can be assured that FDACS and partners throughout the state will not stop working to close the meal gap. Florida sponsors have shown their passion for innovative implementations of summer feeding and will stop at nothing to feed a hungry child.

Thank you to our contributing sponsors and partners!

America's Second Harvest of the Big Bend

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Broward Meals on Wheels

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Florida Impact GrantsAlert.com The Tampa Tribune

Hungry for More

it doesn't have to end here

Check out the appendix for other great resources like menus, renovation pictures, flyers and more.



Appendix



| Example Budget | A1 |
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Example Budget

| | ASHBB | Food on the 2015 | Move Budget | | |
|--------------------------------|------------------|------------------------------|----------------|------------|------------|
| | | Qrt 3 | | Qrt 4 | |
| Personnel | | | | | |
| TOTAL | | | | 10, 520.00 | 10, 520.00 |
| Materials, Supplies, Postage | Peddie | \$395.72 | | | |
| iviateriais, supplies, Postage | tshirts | \$195.50 | | | |
| | tsiiits | Ş195.50 | WCL | | |
| | | | Nutritional | | |
| | | | Material | \$1,400.00 | |
| TOTAL | | \$591.22 | Material | \$1,400.00 | \$1,991.22 |
| - | | • | | , , | 1 / |
| Printing & Copying | | | | | |
| TOTAL | | | | \$0.00 | |
| | | | | | |
| Equipment Rental, | | | generator & | | |
| Maintenance, Purchase | freezer | \$432.25 | installation | \$6,847.54 | |
| | repairs | \$178.73 | awning | \$1,506.44 | |
| | repairs | \$415.60 | MP3 player | \$19.89 | |
| | PA system | \$231.11 | | | |
| | table/benches | \$172.51 | | | |
| TOTAL | fire ext | \$18.97 | | ć0 272 07 | ¢0,022,0 |
| TOTAL | | \$1,449.17 | | \$8,373.87 | \$9,823.04 |
| B 15 15 15 15 | | 44.055.70 | | | |
| Bonding, liability Insurance | insurance | \$1,266.72 | | | |
| TOTAL | insurance | \$50.00 \$1,316.72 | | | \$1,316.72 |
| TOTAL | | \$1,510.72 | | | \$1,310.77 |
| Business Inc Services | | | | | |
| TOTAL | | \$0.00 | | | |
| Other - tag renewal, gas, | tag | \$15.10 | | | |
| maintenance | tag | \$15.10 | incidental gas | \$16.80 | |
| manitenance | gas (bus) | \$205.90 | gas (bus) | \$413.00 | |
| | gas (generator) | | gas (generato | | |
| | Bas (Berrerator) | | Penske repair | \$272.25 | |
| | | | Penske PM | \$465.81 | |
| | | | Penske repair | \$401.50 | |
| | | | Penske repair | \$810.81 | |
| TOTAL | | \$221.00 | | \$2,436.17 | \$2,657.1° |
| | | | | | |
| | | | TOTAL | | \$15,788.1 |



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Gilchrist County School Board



Gilchrist County School Board









Orange County School Board



Pasco County School Board



Polk County School Board





Front door is 80" tall and 55.5" wide Side door is 75" tall and 36" wide



Second Harvest Food Bank of Central Florida

Interior Renovations







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Interior Renovations



Hernando County School Board



Manatee County School District

Interior Renovations



Orange County School Board



Pasco County School Board





July 2015 Summer Feeding <u>Bus</u> Lunch Menu Clay County District Schook served with the chains of milk-Fut Free Churchete or Strawberry, 1 % and Fut Free Unthroned

| MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Café Favarites Ham, Turkey, & Cheese Super Sub w/ Baked Chips Colester Chilled Fruit Chaice of Milk | Whole Grain Muffin String Cheese Yogurt Carrot Curns w/ Dip Chilled Fruit Choice of Milk | Café Favorites Italian Sub w/ Buked Chesz-Its Celery Sticks w/ Dip Challed Fruit Chasce of Milk | No Meals Served Today | No Meals Served |
| Café Favurites Hum, Turkey, & Cheese Super Sub w/ Baked Chips Colestaw Chilled Fruit Choice of Milk | 7 Whole Grain Muffin String Cheese Yogurt Carrot Court w/ Dip Chilled Fruit Choice of Milk | 8 Café Favorites Italian Sub w/ Baked Chesz-Its Celery Sticks w/ Dip Chilled Fruit Choice of Milk | 9 Cafe Favorites Turkey & Cheese Sandwich on Knot Roll w/ Baked Chips Carrot Raisin Salad Chilled Fruit Choice of Milk | 10 Please Visit One Of Our Open Sites- CEB GPE KHH OLJ RVE WEC WJH |
| Café Favorites Ham, Turkey, & Cheese Super Sub w/ Baked Chips Coleslaw Chilled Fruit Chuice of Milk | Whole Grain Muffin String Cheese Yogurt Carrot Coins w/ Dip Chilled Fruit Choice of Milk | Café Favorites Italiam Sub w/ Balked Chesz-Its Celery Sticks w/ Dip Chilled Fruit Choice of Milk | 16 Cafe Favorites Turkey & Cheese Sandwich on Knot Roll w/ Baked Chips Carrot Raisin Salad Chilled Fruit Choice of Milk | 17 Please Visit One Of Our Open Sites- CEB GPE KHH OLJ RVE WEC WJH |
| Café Favorites Ham, Turkey, & Cheese Super Sub w/ Baked Chips Coleslaw Chilled Fruit Choice of Milk | 21 Whole Grain Muffin String Cheese Yogurt Carrot Coins w/ Dip Chilled Fruit Choice of Milk | 22 Café Favorites Italian Sub w/ Baked Chesz-Its Celery Sticks w/ Dip Chilled Fruit Choice of Milk | 23 Cafe Favorites Turkey & Cheese Sandwich on Knot Roll w/ Baked Chips Carrot Raisin Salad Chilled Fruit Choice of Milk | 24 Please Visit One Of Our Open Sites- CEB GPE KHH OLJ RVE WEC WJH |
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OSCEOLA COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT Summer Food Service Breakfast Menu July 2015 Menu Subject to Change due to Availability

| MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY |
|-------------------|---------------------|----------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| | | 1 Ceresi Bar | 2 Assorted Cereal | 3 Donta |
| | | Cereal Bar 100% Apple Juice Milk | Assorted Cereal 100% Orange Juice Milk | Poptart 100% Apple Juice Milk |
| 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 |
| Cereal Bar | Assorted Cereal | Bagel | Breakfast Bar | Mini Loaf |
| 100% Orange Juice | 100% Apple Juice | Mixed Fruit Jelly | 100% Orange Juice | 100% Apple Juice |
| Milk | Milk | Fresh Fruit Milk | Milk | Mil |
| 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 |
| Assorted Cereal | Muffin | Cereal Bar | Assorted Cereal | Pop Tart |
| 100% Orange Juice | Fresh Fruit | 100% Apple Juice | 100% Orange Juice | 100% Apple Juice |
| Milk | Milk | Milk | Milk | Milk |
| 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 |
| Cereal Bar | Assorted Cereal | Bagel | Breakfast Bar | Mini Loaf |
| 100% Orange Juice | 100% Apple Juice | Mixed Fruit Jelly | 100% Orange Juice | 100% Apple Juice |
| Milk | Milk | Fresh Fruit Milk | Mik | Milk |
| 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | 18 |
| Assorted Cereal | Muffin | Cereal Bar | Assorted Cereal | Pop Tart |
| Milk | riesti riut Milk | Milk | 100% Orange Juice Milk | 100% Apple Juice Milk |
| | | | | |

OSCEOLA COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT Summer Food Service Lunch Menu July 2015 Menu Subject to C

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| Cheesy Bread Sticks Lettuce & Tomato Ranch Dressing Marinara Sauce Fruit Cup Milk | 20 Turkey Ham & Cheese Wedge Lettuce & Tomato Mixed Fruit Milk | Cheesy Bread Sticks Cheesy Bread Sticks Lettuce & Tomato Ranch Dressing Marinara Sauce Fruit Cup Milk | 6 Turkey Ham & Cheese Wedge Lettuce & Tomato Mixed Fruit Milk | | MONDAY |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------|
| 28 LHS, OHS & CHS Sites: Vended Pizza Strawberry Applesauce 100% Orange Juice Milk | GHS & SCHS Sites: Vended Pizza Strawberry Applesauce 100% Orange Juice Milk | 14 LHS, OHS & CHS Sites: Vended Pizza Strawberry Applesauce 100% Orange Juice Milk | 7 GHS & SCHS Sites: Vended Pizza Strawberry Applesauce 100% Orange Juice Milk | | TUES |
| GHS & SCHS Sites: Chicken Tender Wrap Carrot Sticks w/Dip Strawberry Applesauce Milk | LHS, OHS & CHS Sites: Chicken Tender Wrap Vegetable Sticks w/Dip Strawberry Applesauce Milk | GHS & SCHS Sites: Chicken Tender Wrap Carrot Sticks w/Dip Strawberry Applesauce Milk | LHS, OHS & CHS Sites: Chicken Tender Wrap Vegetable Sticks w/Dip Strawberry Applesauce Milk | | TUESDAY |
| 29 Chicken Patty Sandwich Lettuce & Tomato Orange Juice Milk | Cheeseburger Lettuce & Tomato Orange Juice Milk | Chicken Patty Sandwich Lettuce & Tomato Orange Juice Milk | 8 Cheeseburger Lettuce & Tomato Orange Juice Milk | 1 Chicken Patty Sandwich Lettuce & Tomato Orange Juice Milk | WEDNESDAY |
| 30 Corndog Sweet Kernel Corn Pretzels Apple Slices Milk | Corndog Sweet Kernel Corn Pretzels Apple Slices Milk | Corndog Sweet Kernel Corn Pretzels Apple Slices Milk | 9 Corndog Sweet Kernel Corn Pretzels Apple Slices Milk | 2 Corndog Sweet Kernel Corn Pretzels Apple Slices Milk | THURSDAY |
| WOW Sandwich Cheese Stick Fresh Veggie Cup w/Dip Assorted Chips Orange Juice Milk | WOW Sandwich Cheese Stick Fresh Veggie Cup w/Dip Assorted Chips Orange Juice Milk | WOW Sandwich Cheese Stick Fresh Veggie Cup w/Dip Assorted Chips Orange Juice Milk | WOW Sandwich Cheese Stick Fresh Veggie Cup w/Dip Assorted Chips Orange Juice Milk | 3 WOW Sandwich Cheese Stick Fresh Veggie Cup w/Dip Assorted Chips Orange Juice Milk | FRIDAY |

OSCEOLA COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT Summer Food Service Afternoon Snack Menu July 2015 Menu Subject to Chan

Menu Subject to Change due to Availability

| MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY |
|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| | | _ | 2 | ω |
| | | Rice Krispy Treat | Baked Cheetos | Cool Ranch Doritos |
| | | 6 oz. 100% Apple Juice | 6 oz. 100% Apple Juice | 6 oz. 100% Orange Juice |
| 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 |
| Chewy Granola Bar | Cheez-It's | Cheddar Goldfish | Keebler Grips | Muffin |
| 6 oz. 100% Orange Juice | Milk | 6 oz. 100% Apple Juice | 6 oz. 100% Orange Juice | Milk |
| 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 |
| Cheez-It's | Pretzel Goldfish | Rice Krispy Treat | Baked Cheetos | Cool Ranch Doritos |
| 6 oz. 100% Apple Juice | 6 oz. 100% Orange Juice | 6 oz. 100% Apple Juice | 6 oz. 100% Apple Juice | 6 oz. 100% Orange Juice |
| 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 |
| Chewy Granola Bar | Cheez-It's | Cheddar Goldfish | Keebler Grips | Muffin |
| 6 oz. 100% Orange Juice | Milk | 6 oz. 100% Apple Juice | 6 oz. 100% Orange Juice | Milk |
| 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 |
| Cheez-It's | Pretzel Goldfish | Rice Krispy Treat | Baked Cheetos | Cool Ranch Doritos |
| 6 oz. 100% Apple Juice | 6 oz. 100% Orange Juice | 6 oz. 100% Apple Juice | 6 oz. 100% Apple Juice | 6 oz. 100% Orange Juice |
| | | | | |

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2015 Summer Menu Week 1

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Production Line







Second Harvest Food Bank of Central Florida Summer Meals Production Line













Free meal from our mobile bus

For children up to 18 years old only

Food On The Move

Bus Stops:

Monday, Wednesday, Friday

Rockbrook Garden Apartments 12:30

Cascades Village 1:30

Magnolia Terrace Apartments 2:30

Tuesday, Thursday

Tennessee Village 12:15

Aenon Church Rd. 1:15

The Meadows Mobile Home Park 2:15













DINNER'S ON US!

Enjoy a free meal with your family at the City of Hialeah Wilde Community Center Banquet Hall, Tuesday, June 2nd at 5:30pm and be one of the first to know where kids in your neighborhood can get free meals and fun activities through the summer months!



FAMILY NIGHT SUPPER AT THE WILDE COMMUNITY CENTER BANQUET HALL

5405 W 18TH AVENUE, HIALEAH, FL 33012

OPEN TO PARENTS WITH CHILDREN 18 AND UNDER

TUESDAY, JUNE 2ND AT 5:30PM

QUESTIONS? CALL THE PARK AT 305-821-8054











All Summer Long! June 8th - August 12th

Location:

(Location here)

Time:

(times here)



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<u>Food On The Move</u>

Before your route:

- ✓ Check supplies (gloves, utensils, paper towels, soap, etc.)
- ✓ Put leftover meals on the bus
- ✓ Check water level in the sink
- ✓ Make sure you have water to drink
- ✓ Check gas gauges (bus and generator) prior to leaving
- ✓ Report any noises/problems with the bus or generator promptly

After your route:

- ✓ Turn generator off at last stop to conserve gas
- ✓ Replenish supplies
- ✓ Take meals off the bus to the cooler
- ✓ Drain/refill sink water
- ✓ Sweep and mop the floor
- ✓ Report any noises/problems with the bus or generator promptly
- ✓ Wipe tables and benches
- ✓ Take out the trash
- ✓ Make sure all paperwork is complete and filed in the notebook at the end of your route
- ✓ Date all leftover meals
- ✓ Throw away food items from the sharing box
- ✓ Wipe out the freezer and leave the lid open

Supply List

- Paper Work
- Justice For All
- Gloves
- . Thermometers
- . Thermometer Wipes
- Hand Soap
- Paper Towels
- . Hand Sanitizer
- Spray Sanitizer
- Pens
- . Clipboard
- . Broom/Dust Pan
- . Step Stool

- . Tape
- . Band Aids
- Extra Spork Kits
- Extra Condiments
- Bottled Water
- . Bus Manual
- . Umbrella
- Garbage Can
- Garbage Bags
- Picnic Tables
- Bungee Cords/Ratchet Straps







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September 14, 2015

Jacqueline Rose Sr. Coordinator - Library Media Services 5204 U.S. Highway 98 South Lakeland, FL

Dear Mrs. Blankenship:

It was a great idea to have the summer feeding program partner with the Books Bridge program to help provide meals for our students during their weekly visit to the bus. The Books Bridge Program is a mobile classroom library that focuses on providing literary skill instruction and provides a book a week to our students that don't live within walking distance of a public library. The objective during the summer is to help our students not fall behind.

Partnering with the nutritional services was an added perk for the students who were being served. During the summer, the program enabled 14 out of the 21 sites on our schedule to be served by the summer feeding program. It provided our students with the opportunity of being served by your portable units after our students had completed their lesson or before they boarded the bus for their lesson.

The students looked forward to their visits especially at sites like Wahneta where the tall oak trees and picnic benches provided the atmosphere of a picnic in the park weekly. The children appeared to enjoy the meals that were provided. Thank you for the chance to have mutrition services serve our students and use the opportunity to promote this concept.

We had happy and well fed children.

Sincerely,

Jacqueline Rose

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Amanda Bot Grant District Manager & Nutrition Educator Food & Nutrition Services 6501 Magic Way, Bldg. 50 Orlando, FL 32809

Dear Amanda,

I am writing this letter to share with you the impact of the summer feedings that were introduced this summer at two Orange County Library System (OCLS) Branch locations this summer. I will begin by stating we had been asked, in the past, to participate in summer feedings, but with limited physical space, active programming and no formal feeding facilities it was not a program that OCLS could easily support.

Summer is the busiest time of year at public libraries. Across the country, parents, daycare workers and camps engage with public libraries to help children avoid the "brain drain" that summer can bring. Providing ways for children to learn, play and engage their minds is what public libraries are all about. Summer is a time when library staff is working their hardest to provide a wide range of programs, for learners of all ages.

When we were approached this year about summer feedings and we noticed the opportunity to provide the "bus" as a means of delivering meals to children we began to think outside of the box about how we could support this effort. We all know the importance of feeding a child's mind as well as nourishing their bodies. So we identified two locations, where we know families are in need, and began to find ways to make it work.

Since most of our summer reading programming begins at 11 am we identified 12 noon and 1:30 as times that the bus could be at the respective facilities. We decided that children would not just get a place to eat the meal delivered by the bus, but they would get a learning opportunity at the library. They participated in a wide variety of events, while or after they ate their meal. There were library commercials about library resources, story times, crafts and movies. All of these activities designed to engage children in fun and learning.

This summer over 11,700 children received a nutritious meal at their library. In addition over 12,300 people were engaged in a library program during the meal time, as parents and caretakers joined the children in learning about the library and library resources. This is an incredible result of this 10 week program. In addition it should be noted, staff of the library dedicated their time and effort to setting the room, providing programming and engaging with the participants. The stories are numerous and the work was rewarding. OCLS has already organized a meeting to recap this summer's success and offer suggestions so that we can identify ways to work with you to increase participation next summer.

Respectfully

Wendi Jo Bost

Public Service Administrator Orange County Library System Orlando, Florida

Summer Food Program Mobile





Mobile Meals

Year after year, getting children to congregate at traditional summer sites has been an enduring challenge. Feeding locations might be too far or transportation unavailable. Parents may not know about the sites or be aware of the program. This results in countless low-income kids missing out on meals every summer.

For the first time in its eight years sponsorship, Second Harvest Food Bank rolled out a mobile unit making multiple stops. This model is a great way to serve kids in underserved communities; taking the meals to them instead of the other way around.

The mobile unit made stops at eight different apartment complexes where volunteers organized children for the brief stop and meal distribution before moving on to the next destination.

- The mobile units are owned by a contracted courier company.
- Each unit costs \$20,000, including refrigeration and electrical power generation.
- Each unit takes 45 days to build.
- Over 1,500 meals can be transported by each mobile unit each day.
- Number of Sites: 8
- Total Mobile Meals Served: Over 9,000
- New Sites: 8
- Average # of Kids Served per day: 257
- Cost of ride-along site supervisor: \$100 per day

Online Resources

United States Department of Agriculture, Food and Nutrition Service Summer Food Service Program, Mobile Feeding http://www.fns.usda.gov/mobile-feeding-options-summer-feeding-programs-0

Share Our Strength, Center for Best Practices

Mobile Meals Playbook

https://bestpractices.nokidhungry.org/summer-meals/mobile-meals-playbook

United States Department of Agriculture, Food and Nutrition Service

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Mobile Feeding Options in Summer Feeding Programs

http://www.fns.usda.gov/sites/default/files/SP%2002_SFSP%2002-2014os.pdf

Florida Impact, Broward Meals on Wheels and Partners 2014 Summer BreakSpot Mobile Pilot http://touchbroward.org/summer-breakspot/

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